House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 18 public bills, H.R. 5389–5406; 1 private bill, H.R. 5407; and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 418 were introduced. Pages H9010–11

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows. H.R. 3241, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to recalculate the franchise fee owed by Fort Sumter Tours, Inc., a concessioner providing service to Fort Sumter National Monument in South Carolina, amended (H. Rept. 106–937),

S. 1936, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell or exchange all or part of certain administrative sites and other National Forest System land in the State of Oregon and use the proceeds derived from the sale or exchange for National Forest System purposes, amended (H. Rept. 106–938);

Conference report on H.R. 3244, to combat trafficking of persons, especially into the sex trade, slavery, and slavery-like conditions in the United States and countries around the world through prevention, through prosecution and enforcement against traffickers, and through protection and assistance to victims of trafficking (H. Rept. 106–939);

Conference report on H.R. 4475, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 (H. Rept. 106–940);

H. Res. 612, waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 4475, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 (H. Rept. 106–941); and

H. Res. 613, waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 3244, to combat trafficking of persons, especially into the sex trade, slavery, and slavery-like conditions in the United States and countries around the world through prevention, through prosecution and enforcement against traffickers, and through protection and assistance to victims of trafficking (H. Rept. 106–942).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Simpson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, the Rev. Norman B. Steen of the Christian Reformed Church of Washington, D.C.

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Ryan White CARE Act Amendments: The House passed S. 2311, to revise and extend the Ryan White

CARE Act programs under title XXVI of the Public Health Service Act, to improve access to health care and the quality of health care under such programs, and to provide for the development of increased capacity to provide health care and related support services to individuals and families with HIV disease by a yea and nay vote of 411 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 512. Agreed to amend the title.

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Pursuant to the rule, the Bliley amendment in the nature of a substitute, printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 1, was considered as adopted.

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H. Res. 611, the rule that provided for consideration of the bill was agreed to by voice vote.

Pages H8817-18

Las Cienegas National Conservation Area Establishment: The House passed H.R. 2941, to establish the Las Cienegas National Conservation Area in the State of Arizona.

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Pursuant to the rule, agreed to the Hansen amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 1; and

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Earlier, agreed to the Kolbe amendment to the amendment in the nature of a substitute that strikes the reference to the use of eminent domain to acquire land.

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H. Res. 610, the rule that provided for consideration of the bill was agreed to by a yea and nay vote of 411 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 513.

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Point of Privilege: Representative Shuster rose to a point of personal privilege and was recognized for one hour.

Pages H8849–50

Microenterprise for Self-Reliance and International Anti-Corruption Act: The House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1143, to establish a program to provide assistance for programs of credit and other financial services for microenterprises in developing countries clearing the measure for the President.

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Recess: The House recessed at 5:32 p.m. and reconvened at 9:38 p.m. Page H8922

Recess: The House recessed at 9:39 p.m. and reconvened at 11:06 p.m. **Page H9004**

Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H8813–14, H8848, and H8921.

Quorum Calls Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and

appear on pages H8846–47 and H8848. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 11:08 p.m.

Committee Meetings

YOUTH CRIME GUN INTERDICTION INITIATIVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government, on Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Youth Crime Gun Interdiction Initiative. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Bradley Buckles, Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms; and Dennis Schindel, Office of Inspector General.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Commerce: Ordered reported, as amended, following measures: H.R. 3011, Truth in Telephone Billing Act of 1999; H. Res. 575, Supporting Internet safety awareness; H.R. 5164, Transportation Recall Enhancement, Accountability, and Documentation Act; and H.R. 4281, ICCFAM Authorization Act of 2000.

Committee recessed subject to call.

FEDERAL PRISON INDUSTRIES

Committee on Education and the Workforce: Sub-committee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Federal Prison Industries (FPI): The Proposed Military Clothing Production Expansion—Assessing Existing Protections for Workers, Business, and FPI's Federal Agency Customers. Testimony was heard from Representative LoBiondo; George H. Allen, Deputy Commander, Defense Supply Center, Philadelphia, Defense Logistics Agency, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES; COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Government Reform: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 4181, amended, Debt Pay Incentive Act of 2000; H.R. 5016, amended, to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 514 Express Center Drive in Chicago, Illinois, as the "J.T. Weeker Service Center;" H.R. 4830, to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1859 South Ashland Avenue in Chicago, Illinois, as the "Cesar Chavez Post Office; H.R. 4831, amended, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2339 North California Street in Chicago, Illinois, as the "Roberto Clemente Post Office;" H.R. 4853, amended, to redesignate the facility of the United

States Postal Service located at 1568 South Glen Road in South Euclid, Ohio, as the "Arnold C. D'Amico Station;" H.R. 5143, to designate the Post Office Building located at 3160 Irvin Cobb Drive in Paducah, Kentucky, as the "Morgan Station;" H.R. 5144, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 203 West Paige Street, in Tompkinsville, Kentucky, as the "Tim Lee Carter Post Office Building;" H.R. 5229, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 219 South Church Street in Odum, Georgia, as the "Ruth Harris Coleman Post Office Building;" and H.R. 5210, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 200 South George Street in York, Pennsylvania, as the "George Atlee Goodling Post Office Building;"

The Committee also approved the following draft reports entitled: "The Failure to Produce White House E-Mails: Threats, Obstruction and Unanswered Questions;" "Non-Binding Legal Effect of Agency Guidance Documents;" and the "Vaccine Injury Compensation Program: Addressing Needs and Improving Practices."

SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims authorized the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum requiring the Immigration and Naturalization Service to provide Congress with a report on illegal immigration statistics that was originally scheduled to be released on September 28, 2000.

CONFERENCE REPORT—TRAFFICKING VICTIMS PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 3244, Trafficking Victims Protection Act, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read.

TRANSPORTATION AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS 2001 CONFERENCE REPORT

Committee on Rules: Grant by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read. Finally, the rule provides that House Resolutions 586, 592, 595, 599 and 600 are laid on the table.